



Submit an original video to be judged as part of  
**4-H Showcase Showdown**

Videos will be shown and awards announced on  
June 27<sup>th</sup> during the awards banquet.

### **What is it?**

Wyoming 4-H Film Festival provides a venue for 4-H members to express their creativity and showcase their filmmaking skills.

### **Wyoming 4-H 2018 Film Festival Rules**

- Videos are to be NO LONGER than 5 minutes in length
  - Videos are to follow the 4-H Code of Conduct
- Filmmakers must be ages 8-18 as of January 1, 2018
  - All film entries must be created and produced by the filmmaker(s)
    - All footage must be original
- Films must have been created within the past 2 years

### **Entries due: June 15, 2018**

Send entries (films) to the Wyoming State 4-H Office.

Send your film or a link to your film to [storbert@uwyo.edu](mailto:storbert@uwyo.edu). Please be sure to look for a confirmation that your video was received.

## **Categories of videos include:**

**Narrative:** A film which tells a story. Can be based on fact or fiction.

**Documentary:** A film which presents factual information about a person, event or process.

**Animation:** A film created by techniques which simulate movement from individual images.

**Promotional:** a short film, PSA or service announcement meant to publicize 4-H programs.

**Voices of 4-H History:** a historical perspective on 4-H. May be a narrative, documentary, or animation.

For examples of videos, go to the National 4-H Film Fest website:

<http://4h.missouri.edu/go/events/filmfest/screeningroom.htm>

## **What to Send** (chose one)

DVD labeled with *title* and *director's name*

Quicktime or Windows Media Video (WMV) with title and director's name in the e-mail.

## **Tips**

Make a film of something that interests you!

If you want to add music to your video that is not an original piece by you, utilize music that is not copyrighted and is available for public use. Sites with such music include:

<http://www.bensound.com/royalty-free-music/cinematic> and <http://www.freestockmusic.com/>

Give credit where credit is due!

## **How to Register**

Register online as part of your Showcase Showdown registration.

You do not need to be present during the Film Festival, but your film must be submitted by the June 15 deadline.

## **Awards**

Awards will be given to the top ten films in each age category. Team films will only be given one award. The award will go to the director.